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24 MAY 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Security

FROM : Michael J. Malanick, Associate
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT : Publication of Agency Organizational
Charts by the Senate Select Committee

REFERENCES : (a) Proposed Memo for the Review Staff
from John F. Blake, subject same as
above

(b) Memo for Chief, Review Staff from
Michael J. Malanick dtd 20 May 76,
subj: Review Staff 76-4018/A dtd
19 May 76 (DDA 76-2555)

25X1A 1. I have reviewed your memorandum submitted for DDA signature in response to the memorandum from the Review Staff regarding publication of CIA organization charts. This memorandum was received after I had signed a memorandum prepared by the staff responding to the same question. In fairness to all concerned, I asked [] to touch base with your office and the Review Staff to discuss the apparent conflict between the two memoranda. [] spoke to Mr. [] of the Office of Security and [] of the Review Staff and pointed out to these officers that even though we may have complex problems relating to the proposed staff history paper, nonetheless the six organizational charts in question, when taken as a separate subject for consideration, do not lend themselves to continued classification.

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2. After review of the problem, I remain convinced that the memorandum I signed on 20 May 1976 represents the DDA position.

[]
Michael J. Malanick

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Attachments:
References (a) & (b)

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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Review Staff

FROM : John F. Blake
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT : Publication of Agency Organizational
Charts by the Senate Select Committee

1. Reference is made to Review Staff memorandum 76-1418/A dated 19 May 1976 which requests comments on the proposed publication of a series of Agency organizational charts by the Senate Select Committee. It is understood that these charts will be a part of the paper known as The History of the CIA, which has been the subject of previous comments by this Directorate.

2. A representative of this Directorate has reviewed the charts which the Senate Select Committee has provided as the ones they would like to declassify. We have also kept in mind the fact that the Senate Select Committee desires to include an organizational chart that is current up through December 1975. This Directorate has previously taken the position that the paper known as the History of the CIA should not be declassified since it provides detailed information on the organization and functioning of the Agency that could well be used as a base of information for adversely affecting future clandestine operations. The inclusion of these charts in the paper would tend to reinforce this view since they provide additional details of the type to which we had previously objected.

3. If such charts are to be published, this Directorate would take the position that no information below the Directorate level should be included. In this respect the December 1975 chart would be the most damaging but even the other charts would be damaging since the Agency has been organized along fairly static lines for a number of years.

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4. In summary, this Directorate takes the position that the proposed series of organizational charts should not be declassified; but if they are to be declassified, no information below the Directorate level should be included.

John F. Blake

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ORIGINATOR:

[Redacted Signature Box]

Robert W. Gambino
Director of Security

21 MAY 1976
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DDA 76-2555

20 MAY 1976

MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Review Staff


FROM : Michael J. Malanick, Associate
Deputy Director for Administration

SUBJECT : Declassification of Organization Charts

REFERENCE : Review Staff 76-4018/A dtd 19 May 1976

1. Even though Section 6 of the CIA Act of 1949 permits the Director to withhold disclosure of the organization of CIA from the public, I believe we are at a point in time where the basic present organization and certainly historical organizational relationships are, for all practical purposes, in the public domain. This is especially true of the organization charts which were transmitted by your referenced request and which do not detail the breakdown of the Directorate of Operations.

2. In light of the above, the DDA interposes no objection to the declassification and subsequent use as may be appropriate of the six CIA organizational charts transmitted by referenced memorandum. STATINTL


Michael J. Malanick

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Date 19 May 1976

TO : CIA Task Force

FROM : The Review Staff,

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SUBJECT : SSC/HSC Request

RECEIVED: Date _____ Time _____

We intend to discuss the attached request with the SSC, but would appreciate your comments concerning declassification of the attached organizational charts of the Agency and National Security Council. Please note that they have also asked for an Agency organizational chart current as of December 1975 for inclusion in the history paper.

Comments: Please respond by COB 21 May 1976.

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A/DDI	X	
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A/DDS&T	X	
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May 17, 1976

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Langley, Virginia

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I am enclosing copies of six charts that we would like to have declassified for inclusion in the Agency history. These were taken from a group of charts sent to us earlier. Also, we would like a comparable table of organization representing the Agency's structure in December 1975, since this was not included in the collection. As you will see, we have kept the detail on the DDO side to a minimum, indicating only unidentified staff and division units. In other areas, the breakdown stops at the office level.

We would like this in the next day. Thanks for your help.

Sincerely,

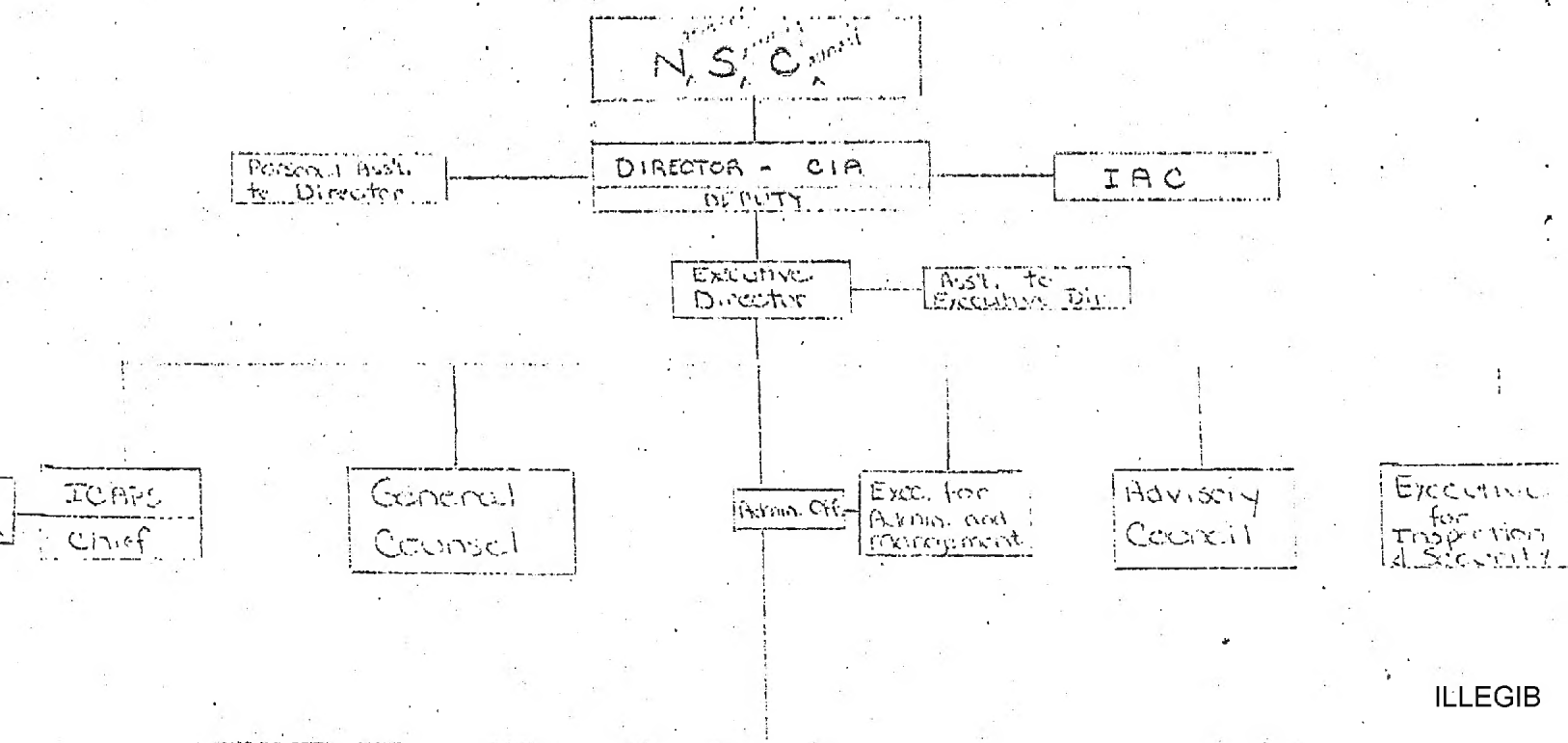
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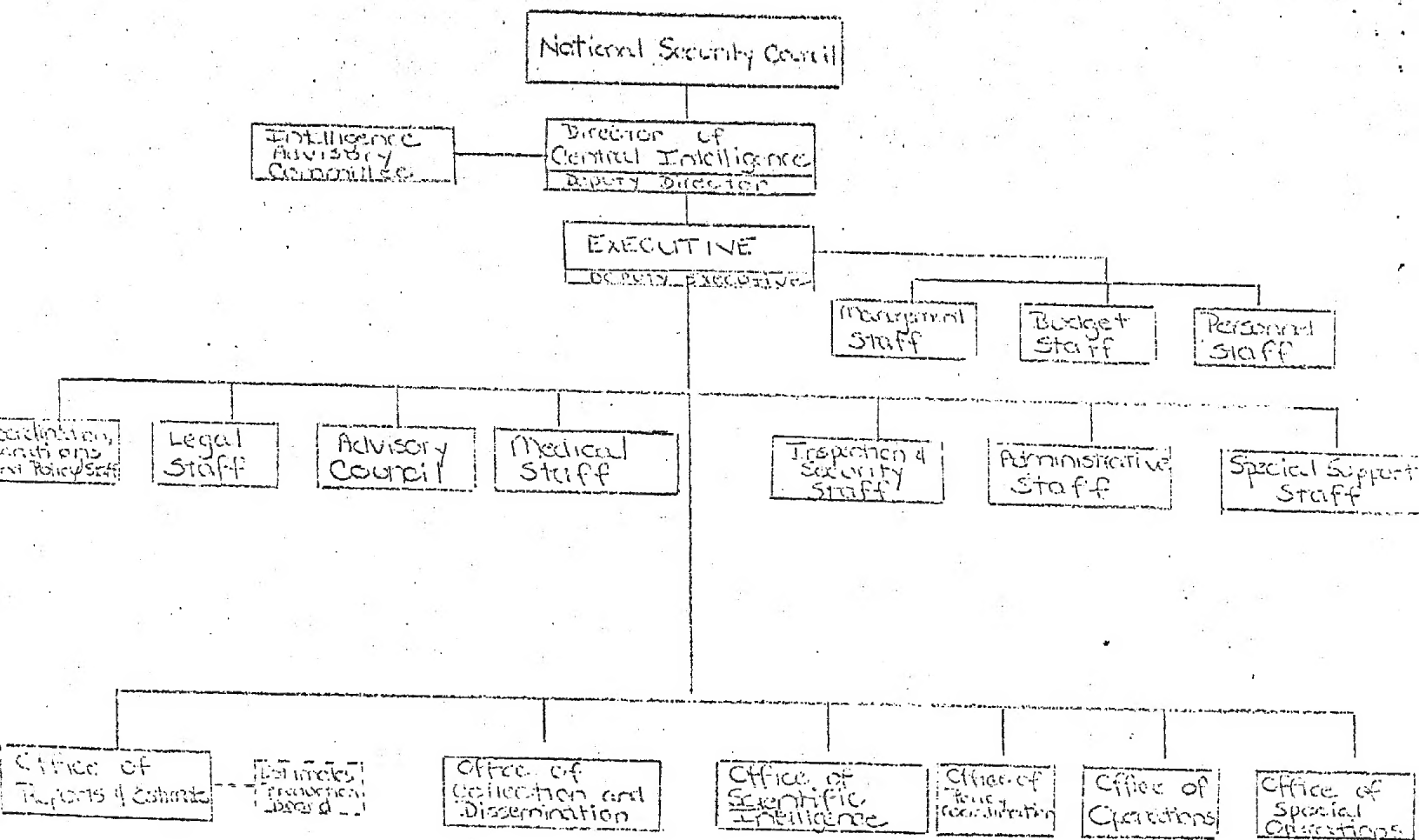
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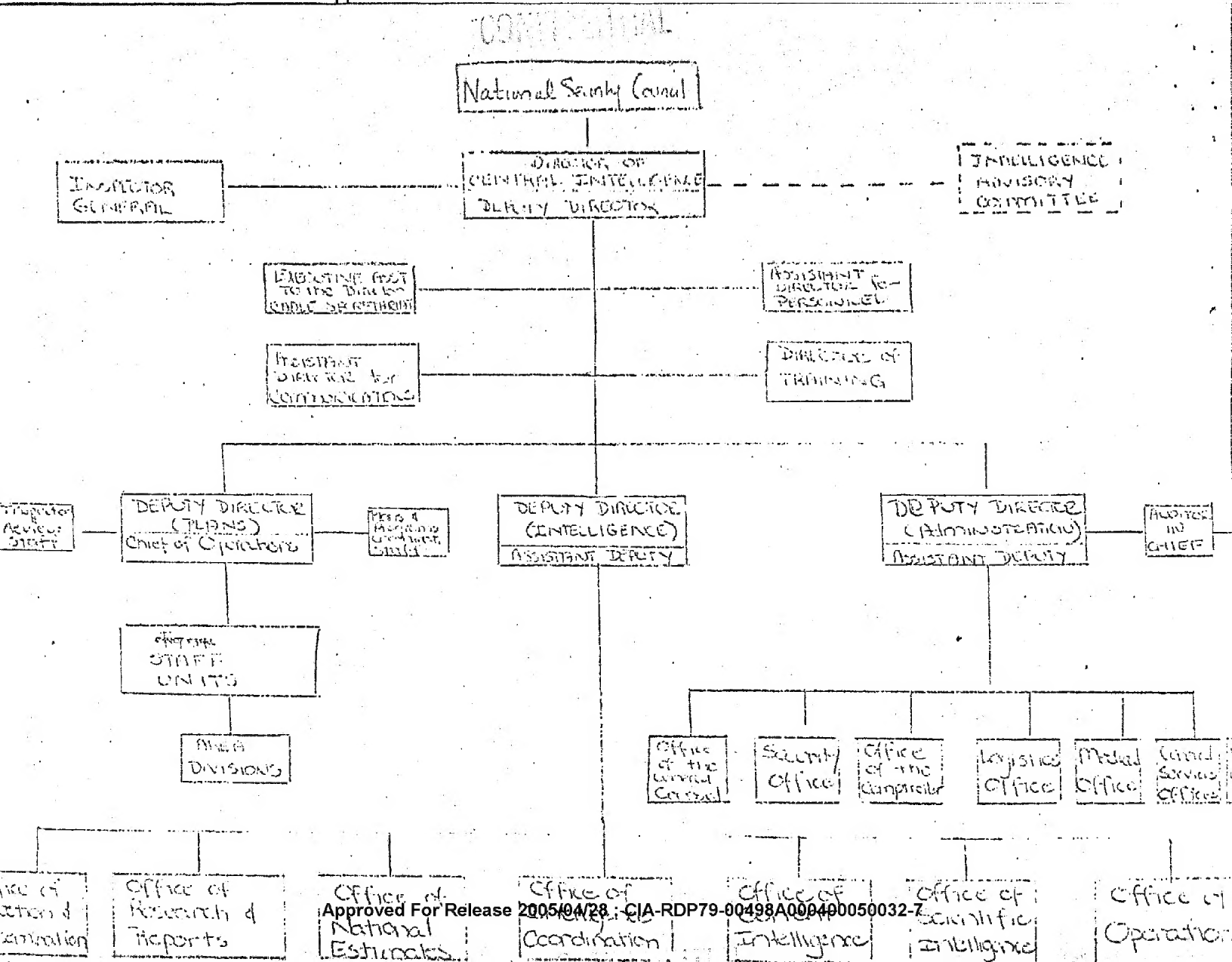
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